

CANTERBURY GELATINE AND GLUE WORKERS.—AMENDMENT OF AWARD

In the Court of Arbitration of New Zealand.—In the matter of the Industrial Conciliation and Arbitration Act, 1925, and the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942; and in the matter of the Canterbury Gelatine and Glue Workers' award, dated the 9th day of April, 1947, and recorded in 47 Book of Awards 593.

In pursuance and exercise of the powers vested in it by the Economic Stabilization Emergency Regulations 1942, and of every other power in that behalf thereunto enabling it, this Court, for the purpose of giving effect to the pronouncement made by it on the 15th day of August, 1947, doth hereby order as follows:—

1. That the said award shall be amended in the manner following:—

(1) By deleting subclauses (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), and (g) of clause 3 (Wages), and substituting therefor the following subclauses:—

“(a) Filtermen on continuous shifts, 3s. 8½d. per hour.

“(b) Other shift-workers, 3s. 7d. per hour.

“(c) Grease filtermen (when filtering) 3s. 5¼d. per hour.

“(d) Agar Department: Man in charge, 3s. 6¼d. per hour; other workers, 3s. 3¾d. per hour.

“(e) Men working at lime-pits, 3s. 5¼d. per hour.

“(f) Yardmen (other than lime-pit men), 3s. 4¼d. per hour.

“(g) Workers not otherwise specified, 3s. 2½d. per hour.”

(2) By deleting clause 4, and substituting therefor the following clause:—

“Employment of Youths

“4. (a) Boys and youths may be employed at the discretion of the employer at not less than the following weekly rates of wages:—

Age commencing.	First Six Months.	Second Six Months.	Third Six Months.	Fourth Six Months.	Fifth Six Months.	Sixth Six Months.	Seventh Six Months.	Eighth Six Months.	Fifth Year.
Under 16 ..	30/-	36/-	42/-	47/6	56/-	61/6	67/6	73/6	82/6
16 to 17 ..	36/-	42/-	47/6	56/-	61/6	67/6	73/6	82/6	..
17 to 18 ..	42/-	47/6	56/-	61/6	67/6	73/6	82/6	..	..

“Thereafter, or on attaining the age of twenty-one years, the rates prescribed in clause 3 hereof.

“(b) Boys shall not be employed in the yard.”

(3) By deleting subclause (c) of clause 5 (Employment of Females), and substituting therefor the following subclause :—

“(c) The minimum rates of wages for female workers shall be as follows :—

			Per Week.		
			£	s.	d.
“ For the first six months . . . . .	..	..	1	10	0
“ For the second six months . . . . .	..	..	1	16	0
“ For the third six months . . . . .	..	..	2	2	0
“ For the fourth six months . . . . .	..	..	2	7	6
“ For the fifth six months . . . . .	..	..	2	16	0
“ For the sixth six months . . . . .	..	..	3	1	6
“ Thereafter . . . . .	..	..	3	18	2

“(NOTE.—Attention is drawn to the provisions of the Minimum Wage Act, 1945.)”

(4) By deleting clause 6 (Increase in Rates of Remuneration).

2. That this order shall come into force on the 1st day of October, 1947.

Dated this 28th day of August, 1947.

[L.S.]

A. TYNDALL, Judge.

MEMORANDUM

The rates of remuneration prescribed in the award are *not* to be increased by the application of the provisions of the Court's general orders of 9th August, 1940, and 31st March, 1942.

A. TYNDALL, Judge.